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PASS OPIC FOR WILLIS JOURDIN

E. O. 11652: DECON DEC 31, 1973

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SUBJ: FEARN/ PRODMA

REF: A. STATE 049204; B. STATE 045152

1. MOHAMOUD WILLING REPRESENT FEARN BUT FINDS IT DIFFICULT TO GIVE SPECIFIC FEE PROPOSAL BECAUSE OF UNCERTAINTY OF AMOUNT OF LEGAL WORK INVOLVED. HE SUGGESTED VARIOUS ALTERNATIVE ARRANGEMENTS OUTLINED BELOW BUT SAID HE WOULD CONSIDER OTHER ALTERNATIVES PROPOSED BY FEARN. IN MEANTIME MOHAMOUD AGREED TO REVIEW POWER OF ATTORNEY AND LETTER TO MEGAG WITHOUT CHARGE OR COMMITMENT.

2. ALTERNATIVE FEE ARRANGEMENTS SUGGESTED BY MOHAMOUD ARE:
A - MONTHLY RETAINER. MOHAMOUD STATES THAT "MINIMUM" MONTHLY RETAINER IS 2,000 SOMALI SHILLINGS.
B - CONTINGENCY FEE OF 4 PER CENT OF SALE PRICE.
C - FEE OF 2 PER CENT OF FEARN'S FINAL OFFER TO GSDFR, REGARDLESS OF WHETHER SALE CONSUMMATED. MOHAMOUD WOULD REDUCE THIS TO ONE PER CENT IF AMOUNT OVER 3,000,000 SO. SH. (US \$500,000).

D - AD HOC PAYMENTS FOR SPECIFIC LEGAL SERVICES. E. G., CHARGE FOR EXAMINATION OF DOCUMENT AND PROVIDING WRITTEN OPINION RANGES FROM 200 TO 600 SO. SH., DEPENDING ON LENGTH AND COMPLEXITY OF DOCUMENT.

E - NEGOTIATED PAYMENT BASED ON EVALUATION OF WORK ACTUALLY PERFORMED.

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3. MOHAMOUD STATED THAT FEES UNDER ARRANGEMENT B OR C
ABOVE WOULD ONLY BE CHARGED IF SIGNIFICANT LEGAL WORK PERFORMED.
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